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March 28, 2018

Dear Seton Parents and Guardians,

Holy Week is slipping by quickly. Tomorrow is Holy Thursday and the beginning of The Triduum (the three days from the Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper to the end of Easter Sunday). This marks the most important time of the Church year. During the Easter Triduum, we celebrate the death and Resurrection of Jesus. I hope all of you plan to take your children to church to take part some or all the celebrations at this very holy time.

#### **Lenten Service:**

As you will recall, **Operation Rice Bowl** is one of our Lenten service projects. Tomorrow we will ask all students to **return their Rice Bowls to school**. We will have our school "Counting Day" with the older students helping the younger students count their change! We will then present the sum of our efforts as our school's offering during **our prayer service** at 1:30. We can't wait to see for ourselves how much change we were able to collect for this important cause. Last year we raised \$2116.47!

Our **Book, Toys and Games Drive** is also finishing up. If you haven't had a chance to send in new or gently used items please do so tomorrow. The items will go to Villa of Hope.

#### **Faith through Sports Awards**

Last Parent Letter I inadvertently left out two students who also were awarded the Faith through Sports Award. Congratulations to Evangeline Mowry and Gillian Zawacki for living our faith through sports!

#### **Golf Tournament**

Our **16<sup>th</sup> annual Seton Open** is scheduled for **Friday, May 18** at Shadow Lake! Our goal is to have every classroom represented by a foursome. It's going to be a great time to get together whether you're a golfer or not! Check out the enclosed flyer for information on signing up to golf or just signing up to come for the dinner and the socialization! No matter how you choose to participate, please come to enjoy the company of our parents and staff!

We are also looking for businesses to sponsor various aspects of our tournament. If you own a business and are looking for a fabulous opportunity to advertise your services, consider this. Visit [tiny.cc/SetonGolf](http://tiny.cc/SetonGolf) to register and to sign up as a sponsor.

#### **Registration**

Thank you to all who have registered for the 2018-2019 school year. We are beginning to plan for next year. If you still plan to register but have not yet had a chance, please let the office know so that we take your children into account when planning next year's classrooms. If you have registered, please remember to submit your FACTS application on-line. The website for online applications is: [www.factstuitionaid.com](http://www.factstuitionaid.com). If you have any questions about financial aid or FACTS please contact Mary Kase at 244-3010.

#### **JA in a Day**

JA in a Day is quickly coming up! It's a great day for parents, grandparents and business professionals from our community to come to school and spend the day working with classes to foster work-readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy skills, using experiential learning to inspire students to dream big and reach their potential. We are still in need of some volunteers! Please know volunteers are never left

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alone with the class. The teachers are always in the room to lend assistance **and** there is training before you even begin. If you or someone you know can come and spend the day with us it would be greatly appreciated! Please contact Eliza Moore at [elm4@rochester.rr.com](mailto:elm4@rochester.rr.com) to volunteer.

### **Convent Parking Lot**

When we come back from break, we will no longer be able to use the Convent parking lot when picking up and dropping off for extended day and preschool. The Sisters of St. Joseph will move in starting on April 1<sup>st</sup>. This parking lot reverts back to being their parking. Please park in the main parking lot or on the street during school hours. Aftercare families, please park in the street only.

### **Testing Note for Grade 3-6 Parents**

Please try not to schedule appointments during New York State testing for ELA and Math. The dates are as follows:

- ELA Grades 3-6: Wednesday, April 11 – Thursday, April 12
- Math Grades 3-6: Tuesday, May 1 –Wednesday, May 2
- Science
  - Grade 4 performance: Wednesday, May 23
  - Grade 4 written: Monday, June 4

Tests are given in the morning hours. Thank you for your cooperation.

## **Don't Forget!!!! NO School Friday (Good Friday) & Next week is Spring Break!**

Sincerely,



### **Changes to the Calendar:**

\*St Joseph the Worker Day Prayer Service has been canceled

\*May Crowning: May 18<sup>th</sup> has been moved to 8:30 to accommodate parents playing in the golf tournament.

### **Dates to remember:**

April 13 <sup>th</sup>	School Mass ( <b>KT &amp; buddies</b> ) at 8:30 at OLOL church
April 20 <sup>th</sup>	JA in a Day!
April 23 <sup>rd</sup>	No School: Teacher Professional Development Day
May 9 <sup>th</sup>	Primary Theater Arts "Wild Things" Performance 1:00 and 7:00 in gym
May 10 <sup>th</sup>	Ascension Thursday Mass ( <b>KC &amp; buddies</b> ) at 8:30 at OLOL church
May 11 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Mother's Tea
May 17 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Concert (grades 4-6) 1:00 & 7:00 in gym
May 18 <sup>th</sup>	May Crowning Prayer Service (Grade 6) 8:30 Seton Golf Tournament!
May 25 <sup>th</sup>	No School Faculty Retreat
May 28 <sup>th</sup>	No School Memorial Day